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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Nishikawa et al.  
Serial No: 10/017,672  
Conf. No.: 9573  
Filed: December 14, 2001  
For: BINDING COMPOUNDS AND METHODS FOR IDENTIFYING BINDING  
COMPOUNDS  
Examiner: Unknown  
Art Unit: Not assigned

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents:

- Preliminary Amendment
- Fee Calculation Sheet
- Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts
- Declarations for Patent Application
- Revised Sequence Listing - Paper Copy w/identical Computer Readable Disk
- Statement Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.821(f) and 37 CFR 1.825 (a) and (b)

Applicant claims small entity status.

If the enclosed papers are considered incomplete, the Mail Room and/or the Application Branch is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at (617) 720-3500, Boston, Massachusetts.

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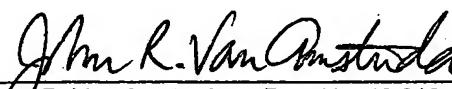
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COMPOUNDS  DUPLICATE**Fee Calculation Sheet**

CLAIMS	FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	FEE
	TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(c))	19-20=	0x	\$ 18	= \$ 0.00
	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(b))	1-3=	0 x	\$ 84	= \$ 0.00
	MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS (if applicable) (37 CFR 1.16(d)) +			\$	= \$
				BASIC FEE (37 CFR 1.16(a))	\$ 740.00
	Fee for Petition for Extension of Time (if any)			\$	
			Total of above Calculations =	\$	740.00
	Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (Note 37 CFR 1.9, 1.27, 1.28).			\$	370.00
	Assignment Recordation Fee (if any)			\$	
	Other Fees (if any).			\$	65.00
			TOTAL =	\$	435.00

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## FORMALITIES LETTER



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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).*
- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- A copy of the "Sequence Listing" in computer readable form has been submitted. However, the content of the computer readable form does not comply with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. 1.822 and/or 1.823, as indicated on the attached copy of the marked -up "Raw Sequence Listing." Applicant must provide a substitute computer readable form (CRF) copy of the "Sequence Listing" and a statement that the content of the sequence listing information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written (on paper or compact disc) sequence listing and, where applicable, includes no new matter, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e), 1.821(f), 1.821(g), 1.825(b), or 1.825(d).

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**Items Required To Avoid Processing Delays:**

The item(s) indicated below are also required and should be submitted with any reply to this notice to avoid further processing delays.

- Additional claim fees of **\$6562** as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

**SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is **\$7432** for a Large Entity

- **\$740** Statutory basic filing fee.
- **\$130** Late oath or declaration Surcharge.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is **\$6562**
  - **\$6282** for 349 total claims over 20.
  - **\$280**for multiple dependent claim surcharge.

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